

# **Big Changes to QuickBooks Licensing!**

Do you use QuickBooks?

If you haven't heard yet, we wanted to keep you up-to-date on some recent changes in the Intuit QuickBooks licensing policy. Intuit has decided to switch to an annual licensing model, regardless of whether or not you use their payroll services. What does this mean for you? It means that you will be **required** to purchase a new license, for your QuickBooks, **every** year.



We understand that this could potentially be a hassle to manage. As such, we at Aeros IT Group have found a way to help.

### We now offer QuickBooks licensing directly!

Plus, we can usually get a better price than what you would find elsewhere. If you are receiving alerts prompting you to upgrade your QuickBooks license, please don't hesitate to reach out to us. This means we will handle all of the legwork and documentation required to get you set up with a new license.

We understand that managing software licenses can be a pain, but we are committed to making the process as smooth and stress-free as possible for our clients.

If you have any questions or need help, please, don't hesitate to reach out to us.



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## Do you "need" a Firewall?

Businesses today rely heavily on technology to operate efficiently and compete in their industry. However, with the rise of cyber threats, small businesses need to prioritize their cybersecurity to protect their sensitive information from unauthorized access, theft, and data breaches.

One way to improve cybersecurity for small businesses is by investing in a quality managed firewall. A firewall is a device that sits between a small business's internal network and the internet. It checks incoming and outgoing traffic and decides whether to allow or block it based on predefined security rules. Here are three popular hardware firewall options for small businesses:

#### 1. UniFi Next-Gen Firewalls

UniFi Next-Gen Firewalls are a popular option for small businesses because they offer an easy-to-use interface, enterprise-level features, and affordable pricing. These firewalls include intrusion prevention and detection, threat management, and content filtering. UniFi Next-Gen Firewalls also offer integration with the UniFi network management system, allowing businesses to manage their network and security in one platform.

#### 2. SonicWall Next-Gen Firewalls

SonicWall Next-Gen Firewalls are another popular choice for small businesses. They offer high-speed performance, advanced threat protection, and easy integration with existing network infrastructure. SonicWall Next-Gen Firewalls include features such as intrusion prevention and detection, anti-malware protection, content filtering, and VPN connectivity.

#### 3. Other Hardware Firewall Options

While UniFi and SonicWall are two popular options, there are many other firewall options available for small businesses. It's important to choose a firewall that meets the specific needs of your business and provides the necessary level of protection.

At Aeros IT, we offer and usually have in stock both UniFi and SonicWall Next-Gen Firewalls, and our team of experts can help you choose the right firewall for your business. If you would like more information or a quote, please don't hesitate to reach out to us. We're here to help you protect your business from cyber threats and operate with greater peace of mind.

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